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## FAMILY HOUSE ANNOUNCES NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Board of Directors elects Jennifer Neuman March as Family House Executive Director

**PITTSBURGH, PA (April 10, 2017)** – Family House is pleased to announce that Jennifer Neuman March has been named as the organization's new Executive Director. Most recently, March served as the Director of External Affairs at The Children's Home of Pittsburgh, where she led the organization's fundraising and community relations efforts.

March's background includes more than 25 years of senior level fundraising, communications, and marketing experience. She is well established in the Pittsburgh nonprofit community, and she has developed and implemented strategic initiatives during her years at The Children's Home of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh Ballet Theatre, and Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh.

"I have long admired Family House for its rich and proud history of serving patients and families coming to Pittsburgh for medical care," March said. "It is my good fortune to join the dedicated and inspiring board, volunteer core and staff as we evolve along with the needs of our constituents and take Family House into its bright and important future."

Michael Printz, Family House's Director of Finance and Operations, had been serving as the organization's Interim Executive Director since the position was vacated by Kathy Lachenauer in late 2016.

As Executive Director, March will be responsible for working in collaboration with the Board of Directors, overseeing short and long-term objectives and operations of Family House facilities, and building relationships with volunteers, patients and guests at each facility. March will also maintain and cultivate relations with community, corporate, and government groups.

Family House's three hospitality houses provide a special "home away from home" for patients and their families who travel to Pittsburgh for medical treatment. Since its inception in 1983, Family House has served more than 200,000 families with safe, comfortable and affordable accommodations.

Family House, Inc. is a private 501(c)(3) organization, established in 1983 to serve patients and their families seeking medical treatment for acute or life-threatening illnesses in Pittsburgh. For more information on the organization and ways to get involved, please visit <u>www.familyhouse.org</u>.